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LABOR MARKET REVIEW

Economic Growth Region 10

Statistical Data Report for November 2012, Released January 2013

Regional and State Unemployment (seasonally adjusted)

Regional and state unemployment rates were generally lower in November. Forty-five states and the District of Columbia recorded unemployment rate decreases and five states had no change, the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics reported. Forty-three states and the District of Columbia registered unemployment rate decreases from a year earlier, six states experienced increases, and one state had no change. The national jobless rate, 7.7 percent, edged down from October and was 1.0 percentage point lower than in November 2011.

Nevada continued to record the highest unemployment rate among the states, 10.8 percent in November, followed by Rhode Island at 10.4 percent. North Dakota again registered the lowest jobless rate, 3.1 percent. In total, twenty-five states reported jobless rates significantly lower than the U.S. figure of 7.7 percent, nine states had measurably higher rates, sixteen states and the District of Columbia had rates that were not appreciably different from that of the nation.

November 2012 Labor Force Estimates (not seasonally adjusted)								
Area	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Nov. 2012 Rate	Oct. 2012 Rate2	Nov. 2011 Rate		
U.S.	154,953,000	143,549,000	11,404,000	7.4%	7.5%	8.2%		
IN	3,146,497	2,894,916	251,581	8.0%	7.4%	8.6%		
EGR 10	142,046	132,028	10,018	7.1%	7.0%	8.1%		
Clark Co.	55,569	51,801	3,768	6.8%	6.9%	8.2%		
Crawford Co.	5,078	4,606	472	9.3%	8.4%	9.7%		
Floyd Co.	37,265	34,742	2,523	6.8%	6.9%	7.5%		
Harrison Co.	19,822	18,550	1,272	6.4%	6.3%	7.6%		
Scott Co.	10,731	9,753	978	9.1%	8.4%	10.6%		
Washington Co.	13,581	12,576	1,005	7.4%	7.3%	8.0%		
Corydon	1,563	1,471	92	5.9%	7.4%	6.6%		
Jeffersonville	22,283	20,951	1,332	6.0%	5.9%	7.0%		
New Albany	17,373	16,000	1,373	7.9%	8.0%	8.8%		
Salem	3,049	2,812	237	7.8%	7.1%	9.1%		
Scottsburg	2,942	2,721	221	7.5%	8.0%	10.2%		

State Release Date: 12/21/2012

Source: Indiana Dept of Workforce Development, Research and Analysis, Local Area Unemployment Statistics



Economic Growth Region (EGR) 10

Clark, Crawford, Floyd, Harrison, Scott, and Washington Counties.

Unemployment Rates by State, November 2012 (seasonally adjusted)

U.S. - 7.7% Illinois - 8.7% Indiana - 8.0% Kentucky - 8.2% Michigan - 8.9% Ohio - 6.8%

Source: U.S. Department of Labor, U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

Unemployment Rank by County, November 2012 (high to low)

#17 - Crawford 9.3%

#21 - Scott 9.1%

#58 - Washington 7.4%

#75 - Clark 6.8%

#76 - Floyd 6.8%

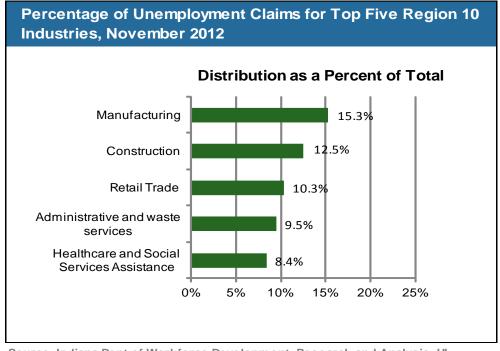
#85 - Harrison 6.4%

Source: Indiana Dept. of Workforce Development, Research and Analysis, Local Area Unemployment Statistics

Consumer Price Index (CPI-U Change), Unadjusted Percent Change to November 2012 from:								
CPI Item	Nov-11	Oct-12	Nov-11	Oct-12				
	Midwest Region*		U.S. City					
All Items	1.8%	-0.4%	1.8%	-0.5%				
Food & Beverages	1.8%	0.1%	1.8%	0.0%				
Housing	1.5%	0.1%	1.7%	0.0%				
Apparel	1.9%	-1.1%	1.8%	-1.4%				
Transportation	1.4%	-2.5%	1.5%	-2.6%				
Medical Care	4.1%	0.1%	3.4%	0.1%				
Recreation	2.5%	0.1%	1.4%	0.0%				
Education & Communication	1.4%	0.1%	1.5%	0.0%				
Other Goods & Services	2.6%	0.2%	1.5%	0.1%				

^{*}Midwest region = Midwest Urban Average. Midwest Region includes Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, Ohio, South Dakota and Wisconsin

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics



Source: Indiana Dept of Workforce Development, Research and Analysis, UI Statistics

WARN Notices

There are no WARN notices for November 2012 in EGR 10.

For information on WARN Act requirements, you may go to the U.S. Department of Labor Employment Training Administration Fact Sheet: http://www.doleta.gov/programs/factsht/warn.htm

Unemployment Claims, November 2012

Economic Growth Region (EGR) 10 Initial Claims

Nov 3, 2012 – 167

Nov 10, 2012 - 156

Nov 17, 2012 – 155

Nov 24, 2012 - 148

Continued Claims

Nov 3, 2012 - 1,112

Nov 10, 2012 - 1,130

Nov 17, 2012 - 1,155

Nov 24, 2012 - 1,225

Total Claims*

Nov 3, 2012 - 2,583

Nov 10, 2012 - 2,581

Nov 17, 2012 - 2,607

Nov 24, 2012 - 2,652

State of Indiana

Initial Claims

Nov 3, 2012 - 6,172

Nov 10, 2012 - 5,318

Nov 17, 2012 - 6,016

Nov 24, 2012 - 5,884

Continued Claims

Nov 3, 2012 - 39,629

Nov 10, 2012 - 39,690

Nov 17, 2012 - 41,656

Nov 24, 2012 - 43,615

Total Claims*

Nov 3, 2012 - 83,235

Nov 10, 2012 - 82,268

Nov 17, 2012 - 84,813

Nov 24, 2012 - 86,762

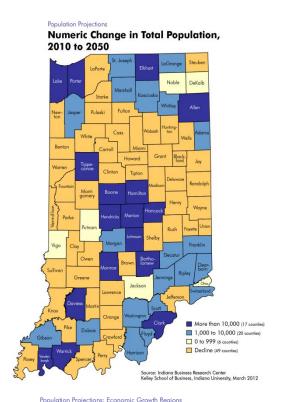
Total claims include EUC (Emergency Unemployment Compensation). Claims data are updated weekly, including revisions to claims counts for the preceding four weeks. Please see Hoosiers by the Numbers for additional information.

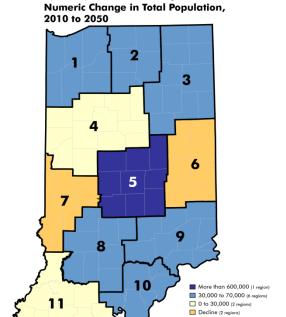
Source: Indiana Department of Workforce Development, Research and Analysis, UI Statistics

Labor Force Projections

These are the official labor force projections for the State of Indiana released in November 2012 by the Indiana Business Research Center.

"If these projections by our partners at the Indiana Business Research Center hold true, it emphasizes how important it is for Hoosiers to be committed to lifelong learning," said Scott B. Sanders, Commissioner for the Indiana Department of Workforce Development, "The role of WorkOne as re-employment and training centers around the state is vital to employers having access to a world-class workforce."





Source: Indiana Business Research Center Kelley School of Business, Indiana University, March 2012

Applicant Pool

Top 20 Occupations Desired by Active Applicants on Their Resumes in the Past 12 Months

- 1 Customer Service Representatives -392
- 2 Office Clerks, General -194
- 3 Assemblers and Fabricators, All Other -166
- 4 Helpers--Production Workers -166
- 5 Nursing Aides, Orderlies, and Attendants -160
- 6 Cashiers -158
- 7 Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand -156
- 8 Receptionists and Information Clerks -139
- 9 Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks -137
- 10 Administrative Services Managers -127
- 11 Managers, All Other -114
- 12 Stock Clerks- Stockroom, Warehouse, or Storage Yard -113
- 13 Production Workers, All Other -108
- 14 Executive Secretaries and Executive Administrative Assistants -97
- 15 Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers -95
- 16 Construction Laborers -81
- 17 Office and Administrative Support Workers, All Other -81
- 18 Retail Salespersons -80
- 19 Data Entry Keyers -71
- 20 Maintenance and Repair Workers, General -70

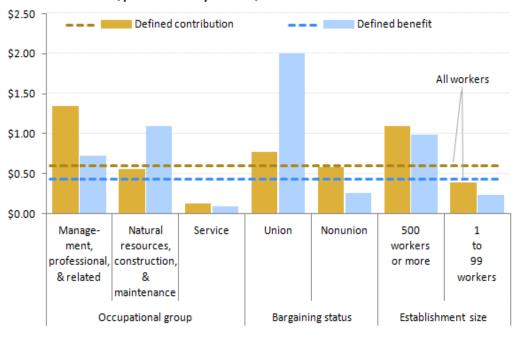
Source: Indiana Department of Workforce Development, Indiana Career Connect

Employer costs for defined benefit and defined contribution retirement plans

(Excerpt from U.S. Dept. of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, The Editor's Desk, December 2012)

Private industry employers now spend more per employee hour worked for defined contribution retirement plans (retirement plans that specify the level of employer contributions and place those contributions into individual employee accounts) than for defined benefit retirement plans (plans that provide employees with guaranteed retirement benefits that are based on a benefit formula). March 2012 private industry employer costs for defined contribution plans were 60 cents per employee hour worker, compared to 43 cents for defined benefit plans.

Employer costs per employee hour worked for defined benefit and defined contribution retirement benefits, private industry workers, March 2012



Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Employer costs for defined benefit plans were higher for natural resource, construction, and maintenance employees (\$1.10) than for workers in other major occupational categories.

Employer cost of defined benefit plans for union workers (\$2.00) is approximately 7 times higher than the cost for nonunion workers (26 cents).

Employers with 500 or more workers have defined benefit costs (99 cents) that are approximately four times higher than the defined benefit cost for employers that have 1 to 99 employees (23 cents).

These data are from the National Compensation Survey - Benefits program. To learn more, see "Retirement costs for defined benefit plans higher than for defined contribution plans" *Beyond the Numbers*, December 2012.

Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor, *The Editor's Desk*, Employer costs for defined benefit and defined contribution retirement plans on the Internet at http://www.bls.gov/opub/ted/2012/ted_20121226.htm

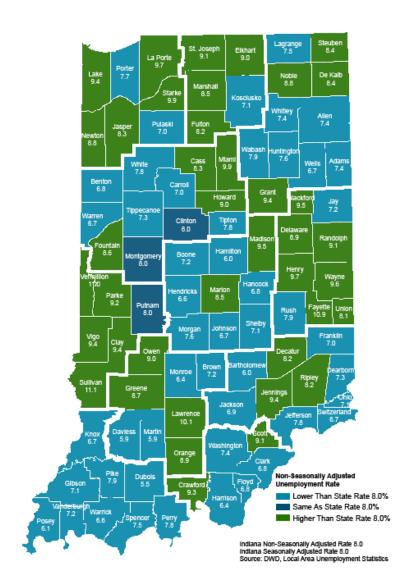
Frequently Listed Jobs

Top 20 Job listings by number of openings in Region 10 for the month of November 2012

- 1 Office Clerks, General
- 2 Janitors and Cleaners, Except Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners
- 3 Computer, Automated Teller, and Office Machine Repairers
- 4 Statistical Assistants
- 5 Data Entry Keyers
- 6 Electricians
- 7 Sales Managers
- 8 Tax Preparers
- 9 Helpers--Production Workers
- **10** Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material
- 11 Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses
- 12 Extruding, Forming, Pressing, and Compacting Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders
- 13 First-Line Supervisors of Food Preparation and Serving Workers
- 14 Maintenance and Repair Workers, General
- 15 Nursing Aides, Orderlies, and Attendants
- 16 First-Line Supervisors of Office and Administrative Support Workers
- 17 Meat, Poultry, and Fish Cutters and Trimmers
- 18 Registered Nurses
- 19 Social and Community Service Managers
- 20 Gaming Supervisors

Source: Indiana Department of Workforce Development, Indiana Career Connect

County Unemployment Rates November 2012





Questions?

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